

OFFICE OF THE VICE PRESIDENT

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The Honorable William J. Casey Director Central Intelligence Agency Washington, D.C. 20505

Dear Director Casey:

The National Narcotics Border Interdiction System (NNBIS), under the leadership of the Vice President, is conducting a comprehensive evaluation this summer of its seven regional offices. The purpose of the evaluation is to determine the projected staffing requirements for fulfilling the NNBIS coordination role.

It would be very much appreciated if you could assist in this process by allowing for your agency's General Counsel's Office to participate in this regional evaluation on a limited basis. Served as Deputy Executive Director of the President's Commission on Organized Crime and played a major role in developing the Commission's recommendations on improving our national drug law enforcement efforts. The evaluation of NNBIS regions is a logical extension of his work for the Commission. His credibility and expertise are well respected in the enforcement community, and his participation with the evaluation team would significantly benefit the evaluation process.

I do not anticipate any travel for during the evaluation and certainly would not want his participation in this effort to detract from his current responsibilities. I feel confident that our evaluation team, headed by Mr. Phil Brady, Deputy Assistant to the Vice President, could accomplish the goals of the evaluation if were available for perhaps no more than one day a week during the months of July, August and September.

Please don't hesitate to contact me or Mr. Phil Brady if you have any questions on this matter. Your assistance and continued support of the NNBIS program are greatly appreciated.

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Sincerely